

CARD OF THANKS.
We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our neighbors and friends for their kind and generous contributions to the funeral of our dear mother and grandmother, who passed away on the day of her funeral, Monday, Sept. 10, 1912, at her home, 100 Main street, at the age of 82 years.

BUSINESS SPECIALS.
Under this head business notices inserted for ten cents per line. Seven words to the line. Kodaks, films and photo supplies at Hills, the Jeweler.
Graduate Optometrist, Parmenter, Optician. Rents to let, No. 3 Paris street. 31f
The largest assortment of Watches, Clocks, Jewelry at Hills the Jeweler.
A girl wanted to do general housework. at S. D. Andrews, Norway.

Deal with one you can believe in. Parmenter. Before school commences have your children's eyes examined by Hills the Optometrist. The best of glasses at Parmenter's.
Did you ever stop to think that a First Class Optometrist or Optician would not have to travel from town to town? Take no chances on your eyes, have Hills attend to them.

All goods guaranteed at Parmenter's.
Why pay more in Norway for Glasses than you would in the City? You won't have to, if dealt with Hills the Optometrist.
Get Parmenter's Toric Kryptok Glasses.
The finest Watch repairing at Hills, the Jeweler's. Look at his Watch repair rack and see the quality and number of watches for repairs. First-class work and honest reasonable prices have done it.

Get Hills' prices on Kryptok glasses.
Hills' optical department is the finest in this part of Oxford County. His prices the lowest. First quality only.
Have your toric glasses fitted by Hills, the Optometrist. Don't be fooled into buying two or three dollars extra for toric lenses. The cost is only a few cents extra.

Why pay \$4.00 to \$7.00 for glasses when you can get same fitted by Hills for \$2.50 to \$3.50. All paid above Hills' prices is extra profit.

NORWAY AND VICINITY

Mrs. John Brown of Gloucester, Mass., is visiting her son, Ernest Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Buck of Portland were at Hosea E. Abbott's this week.

Ruth H. Witt of East Boston, Mass., is visiting her uncle, Edward E. Witt.

Mrs. J. E. Alexander of Augusta was the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. F. Smith.

Children's Day will be observed at Old Fellows' Hall, Thursday evening, Sept. 19th.

The New Idea Society will meet Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 18, with Mrs. L. H. Brant.

Rev. Thomas Pearce of Glenarm, Md., will preach at the Baptist church, Sunday, at 8.15.

Miss Alberta M. Thompson of Portland was the guest of Mrs. S. M. Wetherbee on Thursday.

Arthur Hubbard attended the Shrine meeting at Lewiston, Thursday with L. I. Gilbert in his auto.

Ethel Frost of Salem, Mass., and Mary Mahoney of Andover, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Devine.

Don Whitney, who has been spending the summer at Old Orchard has returned home, before returning to college.

The W. C. T. U. will hold its meeting this month, Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 18, with Mrs. H. L. Bartlett at her home on Main street.

Mr. Hope Rebekah Lodge, No. 58, will hold a fair Nov. 6 and 7, at the Odd Fellows' Hall, 6th. Entertainment in Norway Opera House, Nov. 7th.

Don C. Seitz has joined his family at their farm. He is much pleased with the farming operations and is looking forward to more improvements in the farm lands.

Sherman Pike, wife and daughter of Hartford, Conn., have been taking an auto trip through the mountains and visited at M. M. Fuller's and other relatives in this vicinity this week.

Dr. G. J. Nelson of China came Sunday and Monday took his daughter, Vera Nelson, who recently broke a bone in her ankle, home with him. A part of the way they went by automobile.

Mrs. G. E. Sawin has returned from Pine Lodge, Pappoose Pond, Waterford, where she has been entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Brackett from Newton Highlands, Mass., and Elvira Hamilton from Andover.

While Harley True was returning from a band concert at South Paris, Wednesday evening, in his auto, he ran over a hollow place where the water pipe was being laid on Pleasant street, and the occupants were thrown out but unhurt. The front wheel was smashed and the car put out of commission.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mooney, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Levy for a few days at Pleasant View Camp on Lake Pennesseewassee, have returned to their home in Roxbury, Mass. Philister Mooney, their daughter, who has been a house guest for several weeks, returned home with her parents last week. She is to be married to the son of a friend of her father's, at the Latin School of Boston. The Levy family will return to Roxbury later in the season.

Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Hills, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Smith and two daughters, Elsie and Eleanor, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Lovell of Richardson, Mrs. Lizzie Alexander of Augusta, Mrs. Brackett of Freeport have recently returned from a four day automobile trip among the White Mountains. Among the places they visited of interest was Grafton Notch, Upton, Escal, Umbagog Lake, Dixville Notch, Colebrook, N. H., and Canaan and returning by the way of Lancaster and Crawford Notch.

Norway Anchor Lodge I. O. G. T. No. 32 will meet at the Vestry of the Methodist church next Monday night, September 15. Business of importance to come before this meeting.

The Universal Sunday School appoint a committee to observe Rally Day in October. The committee is Miss Della Noyes, Mrs. Clara Drake and Miss Clara Louise Hathaway.

Central Park will be closed for the present on account of the serious illness of Mrs. A. P. Bassett. Father of Damariscotta, who recently had a shock and is not expected to recover.

The Norway Basket Ball Team will begin practice Tuesday night and is open to the public. Those wishing to try out will meet at the Norway Opera House Tuesday evening and a small fee will be charged to defray the expenses for the meeting.

Harry E. Ford was recently called to the Boston office of B. F. Spinyer & Co. and it is announced that he has been placed in executive charge of their Norway factory and in the absence of many members of the firm he has full authority to act in their behalf.

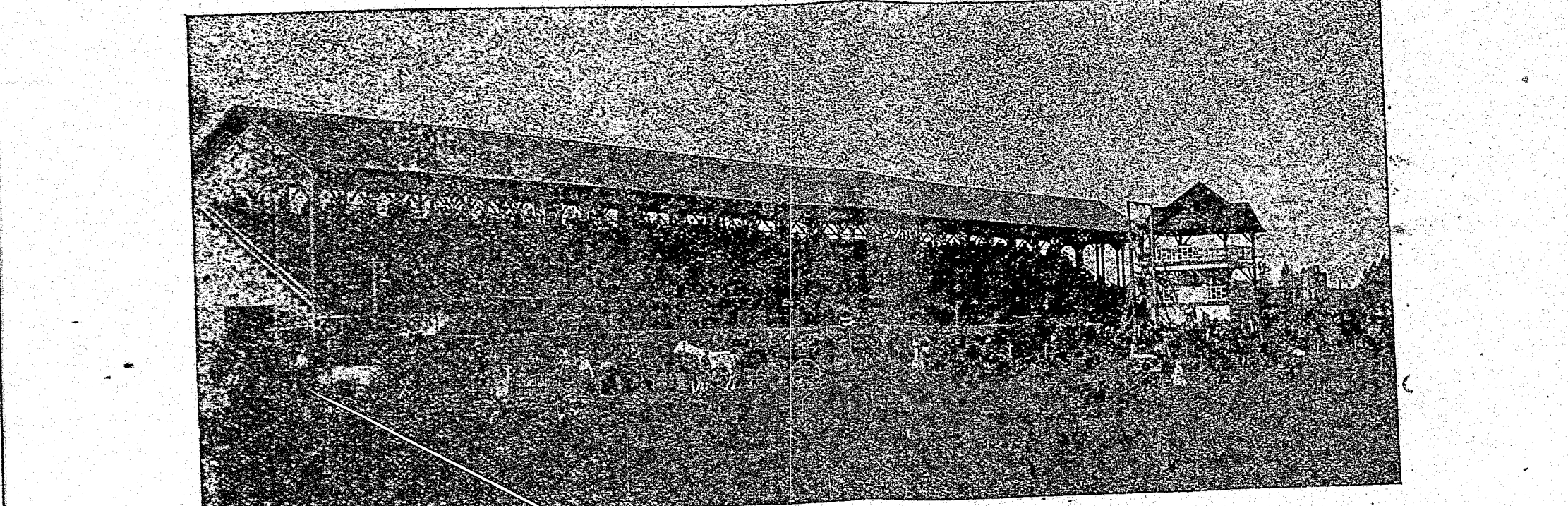
The members of the Y. P. C. E. Society of the Congregational church will hold a reception at the vestry Friday evening, Sept. 13, to the members of the society who are to leave town this fall for college or work. Vocal selections will be rendered by the choir and readings by Edith Riddout. Refreshments will be served.

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Subscription Rates
2 months, 25 cents.
3 months, 35 cents.
4 months, 50 cents.
6 months, 75 cents.

NUMBER 37.

30,000 PEOPLE ATTENDED THE FAIR!



The Oxford County Agricultural Society Celebrated Its Seventieth Anniversary With a Big Success

Large Hall Exhibitions, Excellent Races, and Wonderful Flying Machine Feats

Award of Premiums.

Stallion owned in limits of society—W. J. Wilbur, South Paris, \$8; F. O. Walker, Rumford, 16; A. G. Lovejoy, Norway, 4; 3 year-old stallion, R. L. Cummings, West Paris, 10; 1 year old stallion, G. A. Cummings, West Paris, 6.

Filly or Gelding—3 year old, F. O. Walker, Rumford, \$4; Geo. Record, Buckfield, 8; W. B. Young, South Paris, 6; 2 year old, W. B. Young, Norway, 6; 2 year old, S. O. Colby, South Paris, 6; W. W. Maxim, South Paris, 3; Gelding or Stallion Draft Bred, 3 year old, J. S. & J. H. Millett, Norway, 6; F. P. Morrill, Norway, 2; Guy L. Curtis, Norway, 3; 2 year old, Chas. Merrill, Norway, 3; Leslie Flint, Norway, 2; F. D. Knightly, East Waterford, 2; 1 year old, F. D. Knightly, 5; F. P. Morrill, Norway, 3.

Brood mares and sucking colts—Brood mare with foal by her side, W. W. Maxim, South Paris, \$15; A. G. Lovejoy, Norway, \$15; Mildred E. Seitz, Norway, 4; sucking colt, W. W. Maxim, 3; George S. Record, Buckfield, 4; A. G. Lovejoy, 3; sucking colt, draft bred, Fred O. Grover, 5; Frank F. Foster, South Paris, 3.

Gents' Driving and Green Horses—Gents' driving horses not less than 15 1/2 hands high, B. F. Flood, Oxford, \$15; R. L. Cummings, West Paris, 10.

Work Horses—Pair work horses over 2000 pounds, A. J. & F. L. Millett, Norway, \$15; Wm. F. Young, Norway, 10; G. W. Q. Perham, Bryant's Pond, 5; pair work horses under 2000 pounds, Thayer Bros, Paris, 12; J. M. Wyman, Norway, 3; A. D. Cummings, South Paris, 6.

Drawing Horses—Pairs weighing 3000 and under, W. S. Stowell, Dixfield, \$15; F. D. Knightly, East Waterford, 10; W. J. Wheeler, South Paris, 3. Pairs weighing 2800 and under, Eugene D. Millett, 2; Norway, 15; W. F. Rogers, Norway, 8; W. J. Wheeler, 3; pairs weighing 2400 and under, E. S. Abbott, Norway, 12; D. E. under, E. S. Abbott, Norway, 12; pairs weighing 2000 and under, Eugene D. Millett, 12; E. V. Pearson, Buckfield, 10; W. R. Ripley, Paris, 3; sweepstakes, C. A. Young, South Paris, 15; Ray Thurston, Andover, 12; Wm. F. Young, 8.

Drawing Oxen—Oxen 8 feet and under, R. K. Morrill & Son, Norway, \$15, 10; C. S. Hayes, Oxford, 8. Oxen 7 feet, 6 inches and under, Ned E. Ordway, Norway, 15; C. S. Hayes, 12; R. K. Morrill & Son, 10; Oxen 7 feet, 2 inches and under, R. K. Morrill & Son, 15; J. A. Morrill & Son, 10; C. S. Hayes, 12; J. A. Morrill & Son, 10; Oxen 6 feet, 10 inches and under, R. K. Morrill & Son, 15; L. W. Whitman, South Paris, 8; Eugene D. Millett, Norway, 6. Oxen 6 feet, 6 inches and under, R. K. Morrill & Son, 15; G. G. Abbott & Son, Norway, 6; Son, 8; G. G. Abbott & Son, Norway, 6; Oxen 6 feet, 10 inches and under, R. K. Morrill & Son, 15; L. W. Whitman, South Paris, 8; Eugene D. Millett, Norway, 6. Oxen 6 feet, 6 inches and under, R. K. Morrill & Son, 15; G. G. Abbott & Son, Norway, 6; Son, 8; G. G. Abbott & Son, Norway, 6; Oxen 6 feet, 10 inches and under, R. K. Morrill & Son, 15; L. W. Whitman, South Paris, 8; Eugene D. Millett, Norway, 6. Oxen 6 feet, 6 inches and under, R. K. 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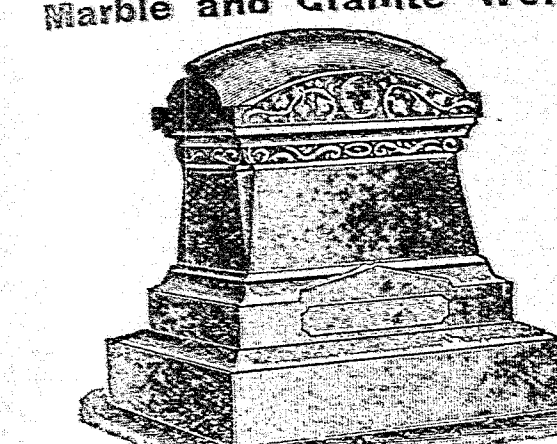
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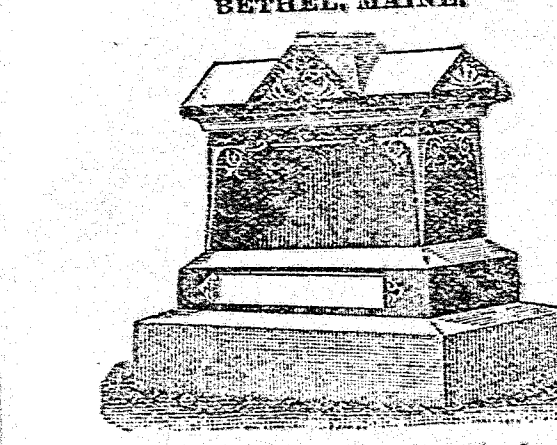
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Joseph Andrews' Letters.

No. XVIII.

The school house at Lovell Center was one of the old fashioned square kind with a hip roof. The center of the floor was level and ten or twelve feet wide, with the teachers platform and desk at the back end. The seats were arranged on each side of the floor and on rather a steep incline so that if any of the children dropped an apple or other rollable thing it would roll down onto the floor in full view of the teachers and scholars. The girls were seated on one side of the room and the boys on the other. This first day of school my sister Abbie was given a seat on the girls side, and I was given one on the boys side, way down in front where the little boys sat. I can see the interior of that room as it appeared to me more plainly than though it were painted on canvas and hung before me. The many strange faces, my sister sitting in the seat before me weeping as though her little heart would break and I with my characteristic greenness, turning around and grinning at the boys behind me. Thus began my first days of school.

I do not know when this old school-house was built, but full fifty years must have passed in the school life of the Center district before the modern school house took its place.

The old school house stands, a relic of the past, on the spot to which it was moved more than fifty years ago adjoining the barn on the George Evans place, moved there I think by the late Horatio Stearns, then living there. Among my treasured relics is a Kodak picture of the old house which I took while visiting there last summer.

The new "now old" schoolhouse must have been built about 1855, and I think that Henry Russell and his brother, James and Benjamin were the carpenters who did the work. While passing the schoolhouse one morning last summer first before the opening hour I stepped within for a brief glance at its once familiar walls. With the exception of the new style factory made seats, there had been but little change in the interior.

The teacher and pupils were there, but the latter were few in number and all strangers to me. What a contrast to the attendance in my schoolboy days when fifty, sixty and even seventy bright faces of boys and girls crowded within its cheerful walls. Or when on many a long winter evening the singing school would bring together a crowded house, and the walls of the old house would ring with vocal music led by those fine old teachers, Isaac Hamlin and James Farrington.

Then again on Lyceum nights what crowds of old and young attended, when the Giants of the debating society led by such young men as M. L. Arthur and Henry Stearns, Henry Herlihy, Edgar Barker and other great political and social questions of the day by a simple viva voce vote and thrilled us youngsters with their eloquence.

Of the more than 80 names that I have mentioned as amongst my old school-mates, I can think of but eight who are now living in the town of Lovell. They are Albanus Pottle and his wife, Mary, Will Chandler, Edwin Meserve, Anna, wife of Eekley Stearns, Dean Russell, Mary, wife of J. B. Stanford and Lizzie, wife of George Eastman. I can recall the names of at least 35 of those who have moved away, and some of whom are now living in distant states, and of whom I have written in previous sketches.

Of the Bradbury, Cobb, Samuel Andrews and George Farrington families I have entirely lost trace, and I can count up at least 25 names on the list that have answered to the boatman's call and crossed the deep silent river of death.

Of those who answered to their country's call during the dark days of the Civil War, were Edwin, Henry, George Cutler and Wilbur Stearns, Edwin and Charles Meserve, Alvin Warren, Valentin, Florintine, Eugene and Frank Barker, George Russell, Charles, David Thomas Adams, Edwin, Edwin Heald, Lord, and Seth and Elden Andrews, and if we add to that list the names of Benj. Russell, Josiah Cobb, Moses Kimball, Horatio Stearns, Benj. Andrews, most of whom were amongst the earlier school boys of the Center, we have a list of 26 soldier boys who went from Lovell Center school district to fight for their country's flag.

I will close this sketch by quoting the following poem which has much of pathos to some of we older children.

In School Days.
"Still sits the schoolhouse by the road,
An idle beggar standing;
Around it still the sumachs grow
And the blackberry vines are running.
Within, the master's desk is seen,
Deep scarred by raps official;
The warping floor, the battered seats,
The jackknives' carved initials.
The charcoal freecoes on the wall,
Its doors worn still betraying
The feet that, creeping slow to school,
Went storming out to playing;
"Long years ago a winter sun
Shone over it as setting;
Lid up its western window panes,
And low eaves' lip fretting
"It touched the tangled, golden curls,
And brown eyes full of grieving,
Of one who still her steps delayed,
When all the rest were leaving.
When all her school the little boy,
For near her stood the little boy,
His cap pulled low upon his face
Where pride and shame were mingled.
"Pushing with restless feet the snow
To right and left, she fingered,
As restlessly her tiny hands
The blue checked apron fingered.
"He saw her lift her eyes;
He felt the soft hand's light caressing,
And heard the tremble of her voice,
As if a faint confession:
"I'm sorry that I spell the word;
I hate to go above you,
Because, you see, I love you
"That sweet child face is showing;
Dear girl, the grasses here are growing.
"Have forty years been growing,
How lives to learn, in life's hard school,
How few who pass above him
Remember their triumph and his loss,
Like her—because they love him."

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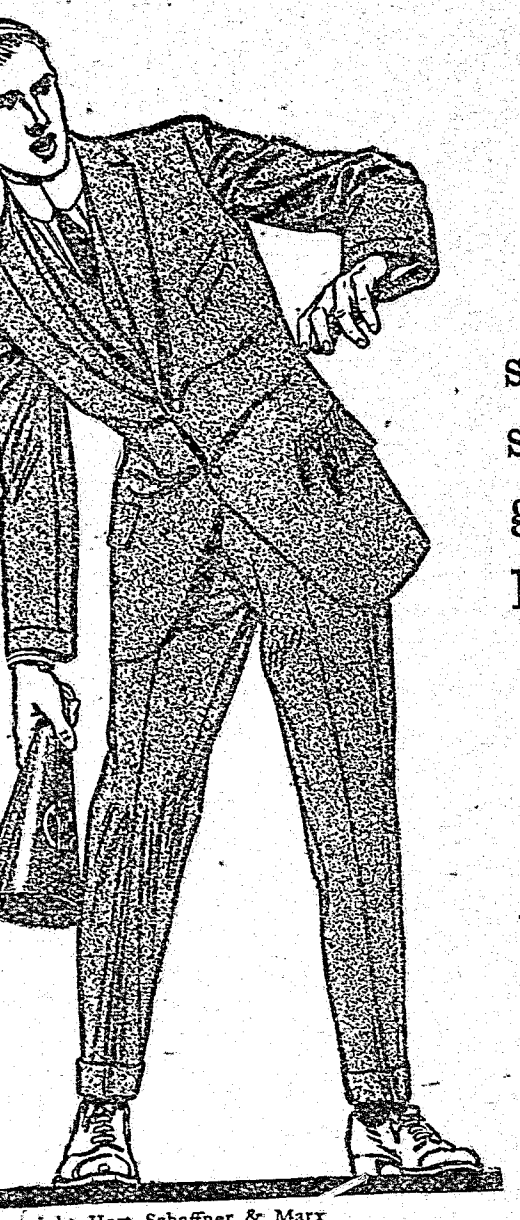
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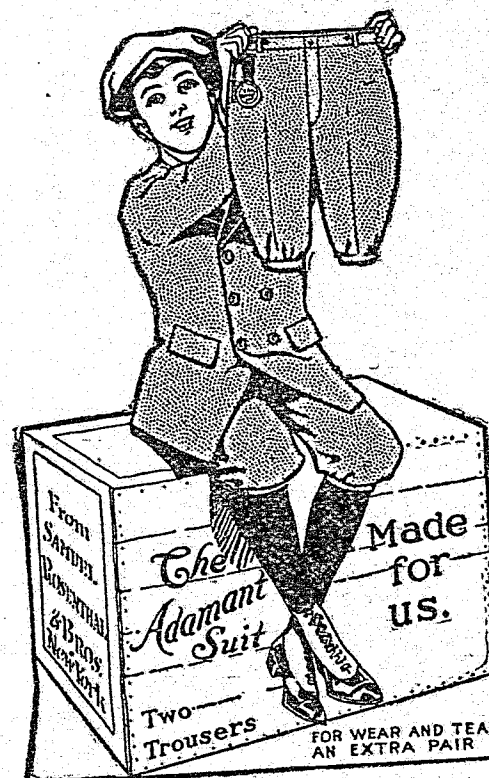


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HIRAM.

George H. Goodwin has been ill for several weeks with rheumatism. Mrs. Nellie W. Burbank of Allston, Mass., has been visiting at E. C. Wadsworth's, where she formerly boarded.

Mrs. Henry Boynton of Giddon, Iowa, daughter of James L. Hill, formerly of East Hiram, has been visiting relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schwincke of Danvers, Mass., have been visiting in town; also Alonzo Parker Martin of Cumberland.

Mrs. Alonzo Parker, who was so seriously ill at the Maine General Hospital for eight weeks, has recovered and returned to her home here.

An Orphan.

We have recently received a literary curiosity in the form of "a dodger" printed on fire red paper, and well printed. The envelope it came in was postmarked "Wellington, Sept. 4, a. m. 1912, Maine." It is addressed in the uniform hand of the recent foolish, harmful, vertical writing craze. It is unsigned and unopened.

"Continuous Excursion from this and surrounding towns over the Rum River Railroad, Grand Trunk line with close connections from all sections of the country. Accommodation trains leaving nearly every hour, day and night from Springfield, Gidderville, Beerville and Gidderville, taking passengers for Tippleton, Toperville, Stagerland, Drunkards' Curve, Wallowitch, Danvers, Camp, Brotherton, Gambierville, Tramp Valley, Beggarsfoot, Woeland, Westington, Tear River, Rowdyville, Divorceand, Blood Lake, Robbertown, Burglarville and all stations on the Rum River Railroad. No stops made below Drunkards' Curve."

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Real Estate Transfers.

Ira N. Gay, Casco, to Mary J. Holden, et al, Casco; land Casco village.
Geo. S. Pitta, Harrison, to Charles D. Davis, Bridgeport, Conn., land and building on Long Pond shore, Harrison.
Joseph Pitta, Harrison, to Charles H. Davis, Bridgeport, Conn., land in Harrison.
Charles F. Glines, Bridgeport, to James E. Had, Bridgeport; land, Sweden road, North Bridgeport.
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PROBATE NOTICES.

To all persons interested in either of the estates hereinafter named:
At a Probate Court, held at Rumford, in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of August in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve. The following matter having been presented for the action thereupon herein after indicated, it is hereby ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Norway ADVERTISER, a newspaper published at Norway, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris on the third Tuesday of Sept., D., 1912, at 9 o'clock in the afternoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

IZANNA J. JUDKINS, late of Norway, deceased; petition that Albert W. Judkins or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of the estate of said deceased, presented by Oliver W. H. Judkins, widow.
T. JACKSON WHITNEY, late of Norway, deceased; first account, presented for allowance by Harry T. and Edgar H. Whitridge, executors.
ADDISON E. HERRICK, Judge of said Court.
A true copy—attest: ALBERT D. PARK, Register.

NOTICE.

The subscribers hereby gives notice that they have been duly appointed administrators of the estate of

CASSIUS W. PIKE, late of Fryburg in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.
CLAYTON W. PIKE, ASA O. PIKE, LILLIAN A. PIKE, Agent
August 20th, 1912.

NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed executor of the last will and testament of

ORRIN R. BARROWS, late of Stow in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.
CHARLES O. BARROWS
August 20th, 1912.

Notice of Foreclosure of Mortgage.

Whereas Sarah E. Gould of Brownfield in the County of Oxford and State of Maine, did, on the fifth day of December, A. D. 1907, by her mortgage deed of that date, duly executed by her and recorded in Book 91, Page 514, convey Registry of Deeds in Book 91, Page 514, convey to Carroll and State of New Hampshire, one of the half interest in certain land described as in said Brownfield and on the west by Fred Haley, bounded on the north by land of Fred Haley, on the east by land of Nathaniel Towle, on the south by the Conway road and on the west by the said Morrill, thereafter, on the fifth day of August, A. D. 1911, by his written assignment of that date, duly executed by him and recorded in said Registry in Book 91, Page 447, did assign to him, the subscriber, said mortgage and the debt thereby secured, for a valuable consideration by him paid to him, therefor, and whereas the conditions of said mortgage have been broken, I therefore claim a foreclosure of said mortgage in accordance with the reason of the breach of the conditions thereof.
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Agricultural Fairs.
West Oxford, Fri.-Sept. 13, 14, 15, 16.

The Horses.

Carlotta (2.37 1/2) the guileless wonder, went an exhibition mile with a skip, the first half being done in 1.13 and the mile in 2.34. Billy Nelson, who trained the horse to this act, had charge of the event, and received generous applause after the performance.

Among the old horsemen, who gathered in the upper section of the judges' stand, were John B. Robinson, Oxford, Lisco Hall and Fred L. Edwards, Bethel, O. M. Cummings, Norway, J. L. Lowell, Seely Maine State Fair, Lewiston, Mr. Lowell has been a regular patron here for the past forty years, having inherited the desire from his father, who was also a constant visitor.

Dr. O. K. Yates of West Paris was an interested spectator along the race course on Thursday. He is remarkably active for one of his years and enjoys good racing as thoroughly now as sixty years ago.

Sheriff-elect W. O. Frothingham was a very busy man receiving congratulations on his late success. Mr. Frothingham cannot be said to be proclaiming his future program from the houseposts, which is a sensible way to act.

Brood Mares and Colts.

The exhibit was well filled and would have been even better but for the Wednesday early showers which frightened away many coming from a distance. Each entry carried tags properly filled out and this feature was a great help and an improvement in this department worthy of mention.

The following is a partial list of exhibits—Mildred E. Saltz, Norway, showed a brood mare and sucking colt. Fred O. Grover, Norway, mare and colt bred for draft. Frank Foster, South Paris, mare and sucking colt. Carl Tubbs, Norway, one year old stallion, brood mare and foal. Leslie E. Flint, Norway, two year old draft colt, weight 1068 lbs. Chas. L. Merrill, Norway, draft bred filly, two years old weighing 1145 lbs. Tom Gilkin, one year old stallion. S. O. Colby, South Paris, 2 year old stallion by America Law. A. J. Lovejoy, Norway, three year old stallion, brood mare and sucker, by Boston 3. 2.10 1/2, by King L. Croix (2.32).

W. F. Young, Norway, 27 months' oil colt sired by Joe B. Nelson, Wallace Maxine, Paris, yearling filly and sucker by Northlake Direct by Directum Kelly (2.03 1/2) by Direct (2.08 1/2). George S. Record, Buckfield, mare and sucker by Northland Direct by Directum Kelly by Direct, and a three-year-old by Alcyon by Nelson Wilkes by Prescott.

Base Ball, Thursday.

Mechanic Falls cleaned up the series against Norway with a one sided score, 15 to 3.

Norway certainly had an off day at the start, allowing their opponents to gobble up three runs in the first inning on errors and cheap ball playing. Mechanic Falls' attack work contributed later in the game to the high score and eventually landed them the contest easily. Austin, who occupied the box for Mechanic Falls was a puzzle to Norway and had the team guessing all the way along. Hurt of Norway did good work but failed to stop the landslide of hits that the visitors poured along.

Sheep.

There were a number of flocks of sheep exhibited and the largest exhibit was Harold E. Whitman of Buckfield, who has 3 full blood Down sheep, 3 full blood Dorset and 1 Hampshire. He also had several flocks of S. grade lambs.

V. E. Dunn of Norway had a flock of Down sheep.

A. M. Stone of West Paris had a nice looking flock of 12 sheep, Leicester and Oxford Downs.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

On the death of Sister Rowena Sawin, who passed to a higher life August 1, 1912. Whereas, The Messenger of Death has again entered our local and removed from our Circle, our beloved Sister, Past Noble Grand Rowena Sawin, who was one of our most faithful members, and who shall never be forgotten in our lodge room, but we will strive to meet her in that Grand Lodge above, where no farewells are ever spoken.

Resolved: Be it Resolved, That we have by the death of our sister lost a true and faithful member of the order, and one whose wish is, that it may be said of us—We have done our duty as faithfully as she has done hers.

Resolved: That the members of said lodge tender their heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family in their sad affliction. We would also point them to Him, who alone can comfort and console, when all else fails.

Resolved: That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family, the deceased a copy to the NORWAY ADVERTISER for publication, and one inscribed on our records, and our Charter draped in mourning thirty days.

Rosa E. Yorks, Committee.
Alice Perkins, Resolutions.
Lucy Kilgore, Resolutions.
Evergreen Rebekah Lodge, No. 15, I. O. O. F., North Waterford, Me., Aug. 31, 1912.

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS.

Filed With the Several Town Clerks.
Charles Edward Chick of Norway and Grace Emma Burgess of South Paris.

BIRTHS.

In East Oxford, Sept. 5, to Wilfred and Effie Frye Jilison, a son, Kenneth Wilfred.

MARRIAGES.

In North Bridgton, Sept. 2, by Rev. Charles N. Davis, Frank O. Chadbourne and Miss Julia M. McIntire, both of North Bridgton.

In South Paris, Sept. 5, by Rev. Chester George Miller, Benjamin H. Martin, F. M. Sanborn, Cal. and Isabelle Cromwell Morton of South Paris.

In Lewiston, Sept. 5, Thomas DeGroot and Olyta Braden, both of Buckfield.

In Ramford, Sept. 4, by Rev. F. L. LaPlante, Gladie Rolfe and George Mayall, both of Ramford.

In Phillips, Sept. 5, by Rev. Mr. Hutchins, Glidden A. Parker and Avilla M. Hersey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Hersey, both of Phillips.

In Norway, Sept. 10, by Rev. J. S. Drolat, Thomas More of Norway, and Lydia Cole of Gorham, N. H.

DEATHS.

In Harrison, Sept. 6, Mrs. Sarah Furrington, widow of Simon Furrington, aged 75 years. In Canton, Aug. 24, Michael F. Melody.

Heart to Heart Talks.

By EDWIN A. NYE.

A MOTHER'S RECIPE.

Keep the children at home.

To do so, however, you must make the right sort of a home.

I know a right sort of home, a home from which you scarcely could drive the children who belong to it.

It is not a fine home nor expensive in its upkeep. It is just comfortable. It is presided over by a woman of rare sense and tact, a woman who cares more for her children than for expensive gowns or social doings. She frequently says she wants her children to enjoy a good time while they may.

To illustrate:

There are two boys. Never do they go grumbling to the tasks that mother sets them. She knows the knack of changing drudgery into rare sport. And if the task be hard there is always the sure prospect of a big play at the other end.

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My dear girl:

Do you realize how easily you may make a cardinal mistake in your acceptance of a future husband?

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The young man is from the country. His features are somewhat homely, but he has a very strong face. It shows the stamp of character. Naturally he is somewhat self conscious and a little awkward because he is unused to city ways.

Nevertheless—

The boy is as clean as a hound's tooth. He has moral fiber. He is clean hearted. And although he may appear somewhat at a disadvantage by the side of certain youths who are glib of speech and sure of their deportment, he is really worth a dozen of them.

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They do not realize the stuff of which this young fellow is made. They do not realize his worth and cannot see that in the long run he is likely to far outshine the easy mannered youth who by contrast seem to be his superiors.

Look you, girls.

That's the mistake many a girl has made who judges by outside appearances and because of her limited knowledge of human nature. It is the mistake made by the girl who picks the youth of showy manners, overlooking the qualities that endure.

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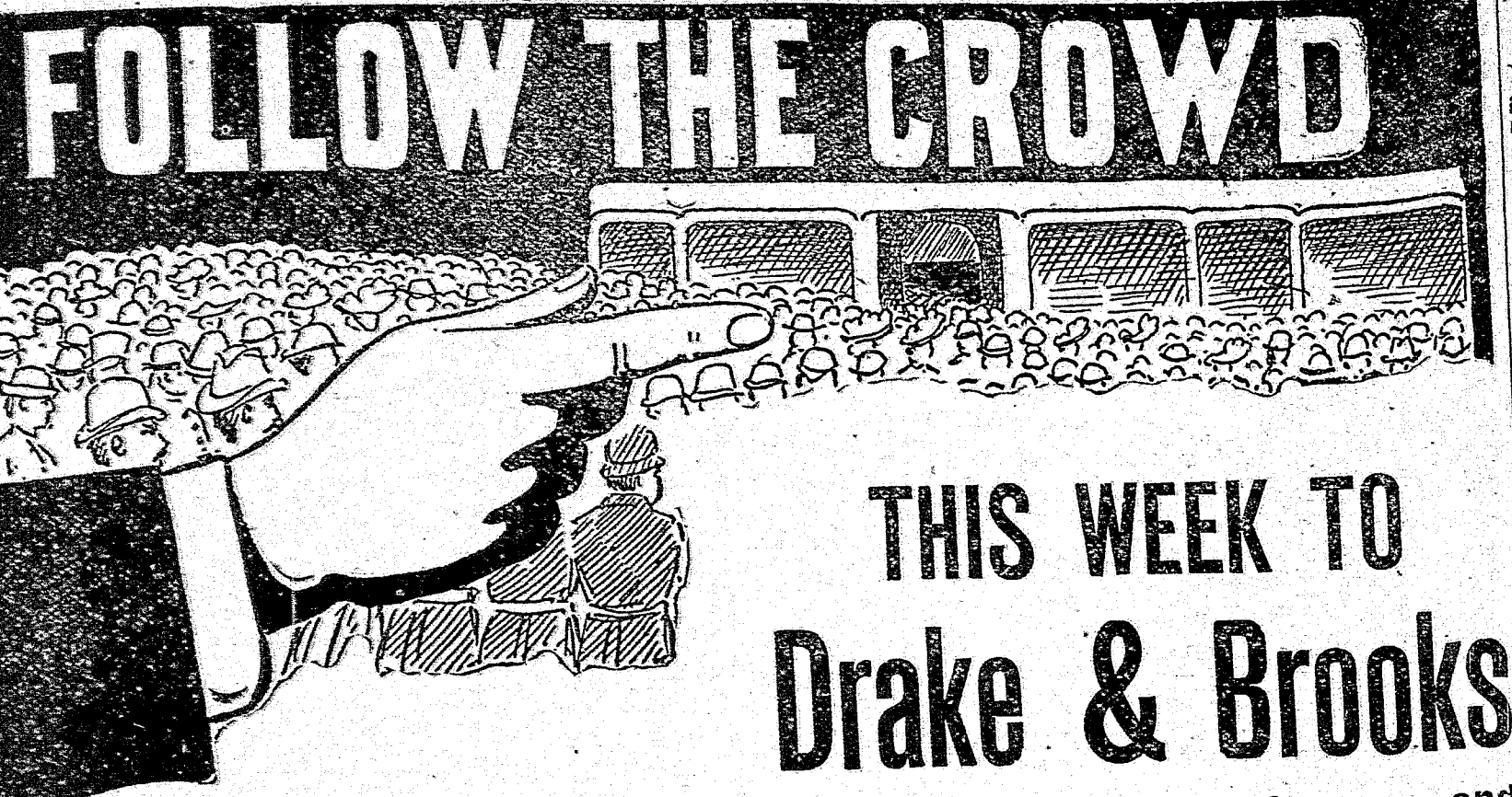
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Pears, Peaches, Tokay and Malaga Grapes, Oranges, Bananas, Lemons, and Celery, Cape Cod Cranberries and Sweet Potatoes.

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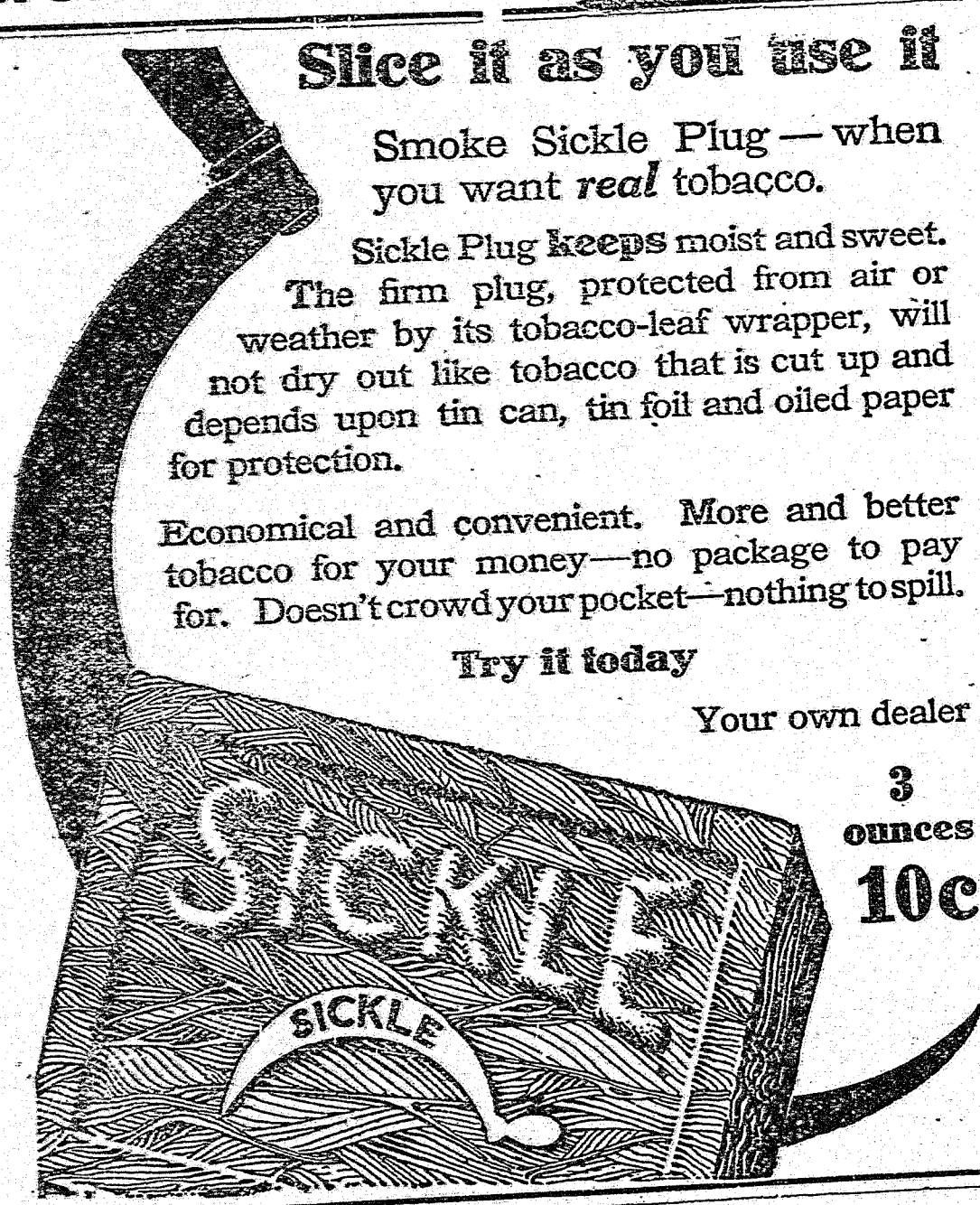
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Crackers	Cheese	Coffee and Teas
All fresh for fair week. Soda Crackers. Common Crackers. Milk Crackers. Oyster Crackers. Water Crackers. Dr. Johnson Wheat Crackers.	We carry a full line of cheese. Tutter Cheese, New Sage Cheese. Domestic Cheese, Pineapple Cheese. Cream Cheese, Club Cheese. Fimento Cheese in jars. Imported Roquefort Cheese. Grated Parmesan Cheese in bottles.	Good Drinks for the cold fall lunch. Barrington Hall Coffee, 6c leader in 1 and 2 pound cans. Hatchet Teas and Coffees ask for our own blend coffee 30c pound. Try our Pure Mocha and Java 40c pound.

Don't forget our Boiled Ham; also our Strip Bacon, Peanut Butter in Bulk.

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Inventories Returned at Probate Court.

Estate Emma R. Deering, late of Fryeburg, rights and credits, \$800.53. Alvin D. Merrill, T. L. Eastman and J. W. Eastman, appraisers; James O. Deering, executor.

Estate Abner Benson, late of Paris, Juliette S. Graves, executrix. Real estate, \$850; goods and chattels, \$129.32; rights and credits, \$499.15; total \$2,478.47. J. R. Tucker, H. D. McAllister and Seth Benson, appraisers.

Estate Edward C. Farum, late of Rumford, goods and chattels, \$285; rights and credits, \$1,522.79; total \$1,807.79. J. E. Stephens, Henry Francis and H. S. Penley, appraisers; Waldo Pettengill, administrator.

Estate Mary A. Perry, late of Rumford, real estate, \$5,000; goods and chattels, \$28,100; total \$33,100. F. W. Davis, Villa T. Davis, Sue A. Thompson, appraisers; J. Ezra Morton, administrator.

Estate Dennis A. Harriman, late of Rumford, real estate, \$835; goods and chattels, \$38; rights and credits, \$109; total \$982. Philo B. Clark, Daniel Phelps and Fred E. Sweetser, appraisers; Nellie M. Harriman, administratrix.

Estate Horace F. Blake, late of Brownfield, real estate, \$300; goods and chattels, \$2,057.71; Fannie K. Blake, S. S. Harris and J. L. Fink, appraisers; Eugene Blake, administrator.

Estate Moses A. Swan, late of Paris, real estate, \$1050; goods and chattels, \$816.72; rights and credits, \$1015; total \$2,882.72. A. Flory Dean, Alfred C. Perham and O. H. Lane, appraisers; Gerald A. Swift, administrator.

Estate Judy M. Etheridge, late of Bethel, real estate, \$300. E. C. Bowler, F. B. Merrill and N. F. Brown, appraisers; Nathan W. Etheridge, executor.

Estate Edward L. Marr, late of Norway, rights and credits, \$412. George W. Marr, appraiser; Lena Marr, administratrix.

Estate Lawrence Tucker, late of Andover, real estate, \$2,000; goods and chattels, \$657,237.95; total \$659,237.95. Charles A. Knight, Robert W. Perkins, Charles A. Knight, Robert W. Perkins, and Ralph A. Bartlett of Gardiner, appraisers; Robert H. Gardner of Gardiner, and Alfred Bowditch of Boston, executors.

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PORTER.

Two Deaths.
Mrs. Julia A. York, wife of Frank York, died at her home, Monday, August 26, after a week's illness. Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at 2 p.m. at the home of Mrs. York. She leaves to mourn her loss her husband, Frank York, and one daughter, Mrs. Eliza J. Roberts.

The very sudden death of one of our respected citizens occurred on Monday, August 26. Mrs. Garland, left home Monday afternoon at two o'clock leaving her husband, Henry Garland, in apparently good health. At her return at five o'clock she found him on the floor unable to move or speak. He lived until ten o'clock Monday evening but did not gain consciousness before he passed away. Funeral services were held Friday afternoon by the Rev. Cymbrid Hughes. Burial in Cornish. Mr. Garland left a wife of but two months. Besides a brother, Chas. K. Garland, two sons, Elias and Porter and Roscoe of Massachusetts, and seven grandchildren. Floral tributes were many and beautiful.

Eva Kenney of Lynn, Mass., has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. John A. Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Garland have closed their house for a while and moved in with their son, Raymond Garland.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Durgin have taken up their residence in Portland, where Mr. Durgin has accepted a good position.

Mr. Lane and Mr. Davis, who have been staying at Elm Spring Farm for a few weeks, have returned to their homes in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett H. Chapman and Oliver Chapman of Lynn, Mass., were in town over Labor day also; Adonir Riddion of Boston, Mass., visited his parents.

STOW.

A. F. Wilby attended the Cornish fair. A deer was seen in Olden Stevens field, recently, feeding near the horse.

Emily Davis of Washington, D. C., visited Mrs. M. E. Cary and sister.

Mrs. M. E. Andrews and children have returned to their home in Medford, Mass.

Ray Emery cut his leg recently. The doctor took three stitches to close the wound.

Mrs. Perley McKee of North Lovell visited at Nelson Emery's; also on other friends.

Mrs. A. H. Seavey and little daughter Ruth of Harbor, visited Mrs. Olden Stevens.

Olden Stevens went to Lewiston the 4th, to the State Fair with Richard Chandler of Cold River in his auto.

Joseph Kimball and wife visited at Nelson Emery's. Mrs. Sarah Emery is stopping there at present.

Benj. Barbour and daughter were called to Fryeburg to attend the funeral of his niece, Mrs. R. W. Gray.

Mrs. Joseph Kimball and Mrs. Mary Kimball, visited Mrs. Q. Stevens; also Mrs. Simon Emerson spent the forenoon with them.

NORTHWEST NORWAY.

Bennett Bartlett from Grafton, recently called at Parley Bartlett's and George Abbott's.

Mrs. C. G. French went to Bolster's Mills to visit her mother and other relatives.

Mrs. Fred Fiaroe went to Albany to her father's, Mr. Bird's, Friday and returned Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Rich from Norway visited at Fred Pierce's from Saturday afternoon until Sunday afternoon.

Virgil Dunn had a very nice monument set beside his wife's grave in the Chapel cemetery, Saturday, Aug. 31st.

Everett Kimball went to Mechanic Falls, Monday, Sept. 2nd to have a can-op surgery from his upper lip and to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Bartlett from Norway and Miss Bryant from Hartford, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Perley Bartlett.

Dora Kerwin and her friend Miss Cobb from Concord, Mass., who have been stopping at Mary Skedd's a short time, gave a very entertaining reading at the Chapel, Thursday evening August 20th. Miss Kerwin and Miss Cobb have returned to Concord, Mass.

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HARTFORD.

Harvey Thompson has bought a new auto.

Mrs. Leora Berry has returned to her school in Greene.

Philaender Kidder, who has been visiting in town, has returned to his home in Auburn.

Edith Berry of Needham, Mass., has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Berry.

Mrs. L. M. Berry and two children have been visiting her mother, Mrs. C. W. Thompson, of Auburn.

Mrs. C. H. Berry, Jr., and Mrs. Leora Mitchell Berry attended the Methodist campmeeting at East Livermore.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Turner and son Jesse have been in town to attend the funeral of Mrs. Turner's grandmother, Mrs. Philander Kidder.

SOUTH OTISFIELD.

Charles Berry has returned to his home in Michigan after spending his summer vacation at Mr. Schatzel's camp.

Good Paint.

The best name in the world is Devoe. Less paint does more and lasts longer; keeps on doing more paint in the world is Devoe; it goes so far and lasts so long. Lead-and-oil lasts only three years; half as long as Devoe.

There are other good paints, but 50 times as many poor ones; most of them bad, very bad, very bad. Good paint is so good that not good is bad and bad, very bad.

And the time to paint Devoe is as soon as your property needs good paint.

DEVOE.
F. P. Stone, Norway; W. S. Jackson & Son, West Paris, sell it.

BUCKFIELD.

Whitman Family Reunion.
A reunion of the family of Abel Whitman of Buckfield was held at the old homestead, Sunday. Those present were Mrs. Alton Crooker nee Elsie Whitman of Mechanic Falls; Percy Crooker and wife and little son Robert of Mechanic Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sawyer, nee Eva Crooker, and little child, Edward and Elsie, of Auburn and Daisy Crooker of Mechanic Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Eastman nee Florence Whitman and little daughter Muriel of Buckfield; Claude Whitman and wife and little daughter Nellie of Buckfield. At noon a dinner was served of Mrs. Whitman's making and was accepted as only these dinners of grandmothers and great grandmothers can be accepted. Mr. and Mrs. Whitman are an aged couple and both in poor health. Their family were all present, being three children, four grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Mrs. Grace Allen has been visiting her people in South Portland.

Stanley DeCoster, who was seriously ill for a short time, is able to be about again.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Shaw of Florida are visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Peaslee of Auburn have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Withington.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Withington and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Gardner have been on a visit to Ogunquit.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lewey of Lynn are making a two weeks' visit with Mrs. Lewey's sister, Mrs. A. F. Holland.

Mrs. Frank Haskell nee Helen Record and her husband of Vinalhaven have been visiting her parents for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. William G. Seavey and daughter and friend from Boston have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Washburn.

H. G. Clement has returned to Redlands, Calif. Mr. Clement and children will remain till October. On his way to Gorham, also at Boston.

The High school opened Sept. 9th with W. K. Brackett as principal and Christina Ring of Lewiston and Mrs. Elizabeth Withington as assistant teachers. An entering class of twenty-five.

The Buckfield Literary club held its first regular meeting for the ensuing year with Mrs. Virginia Irish of High street. Papers were read on Booker T. Washington. Etta Mitchell rendered several musical selections.

Philip Marshall of Auburn has visited at J. E. Warner's. Mr. Marshall is the youngest son of Rev. Horace Marshall, who was a former pastor of the Baptist church here. Rev. Mr. Marshall, wife and daughter Annie are now living in Winsted, Ct.

Wilson Conant and family while returning home from the Republican rally were run into by an automobile owned by Gerald Saunders of Hebron. The carriage was upset and occupants thrown out and badly shaken up but there was no serious injury.

MONEY BACK CATARRH REMEDY

Dosing the stomach won't kill Catarrh germs. Neither will sprays, douches, snuffs or ointments.

The surest way to kill germs is to breathe deep into the lungs the vaporized air of Booth's HYOMEI.

As this antiseptic air passes over the sore spots infested with Catarrh germs it not only destroys them, but leaves the inflamed membrane and stops the discharge of mucus.

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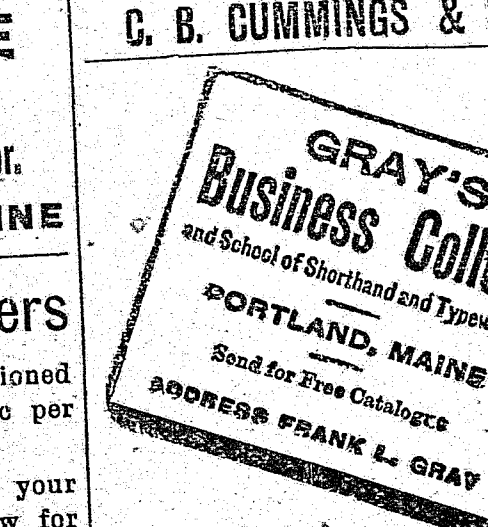
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House on Main Street, Norway. Pursuant to a license from the Honorable Judge of Probate for the County of Oxford, I shall sell at public auction, on the 26th day of September, A. D. 1912, at two o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises, all the right, title and interest which Wallace Ryerson late of Paris in said Oxford County, deceased, had in the following described property, to-wit: The house situated on Main Street in the Village of Norway, it being a double tenement house, together with the lot upon which it stands, and bounded by said Main Street, land owned by Clarence Smith, land now or formerly of Benjamin Tucker, land of the Cobble's Club and land of Betty Greenleaf.

ESTHER M. RYERSON, Administratrix.
ALBERT D. FAIR, Auctioneer.
Dated this nineteenth day of August A. D. 1912

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The Vote of Oxford County

Monday, Sept. 9, 1912.
Vote for Governor.

Vote for Governor.			Haines, a	Plaiside, d	England, s
Albany	62	48	67	1	
Andover	223	223	223		
Bethel	58	98	105	1	
Brownfield	58	18	18	1	
Buckfield	58	17	17	1	
Byron	113	113	113		
Canton	58	81	81		
Denmark	141	127	127		
Dixfield	141	127	127		
Fryeburg	122	122	122		
Gilead	58	58	58		
Greenwood	54	75	65		
Hartford	94	15	15		
Hebron	104	60	60	1	
Hiram	120	117	117		
Lovell	124	63	63		
Mason	141	171	171	1	
Mexico	223	223	223		
Newry	223	20	18		
Norway	142	138	138	15	
Oxford	140	138	138		
Paris	80	81	81		
Porter	140	52	52		
Roxbury	89	44	44		
Rumford	89	44	44		
Stonham	45	83	83		
Stow	97	83	83		
Sweden	97	83	83		
Upton	97	83	83		
Waterford	112	10	10		
Woodstock	112	80	80		
Lincoln	6	6	6		
Magalloway	18	28	28		
Milton	18	28	28		

Vote for Auditor.

	Albany	Andover	Bethel	Brownfield	Buckfield	Byron	Canton	Denmark	Dixfield	Fryeburg	Gilead	Greenwood	Hartford	Hebron	Hiram	Lovell	Mason	Mexico	Newry	Norway	Oxford	Paris	Porter	Roxbury	Rumford	Stonham	Stow	Sweden	Upton	Waterford	Woodstock	Lincoln	Magalloway	Milton
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Vote for Congressman.

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Vote for Senator and County Attorney.

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Probate Judge and Register of Probate.

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The Poultry Department.

"A large show" was the general verdict of all who were fortunate to remember the bidders under the large grandstand. It was certainly a well arranged exhibition and reflected great credit to all who put time into the work. Among the exhibitors were Mrs. Geo. W. Asa, Norway, Buttercups, fowls and chicks, 5 pens; White Orpingtons, 4 pens.

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Vote for Sheriff.

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Vote for County Commissioner and Treasurer.

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Vote for Representative.

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Vote for Register of Deeds, Western District.

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Denmark.

Birthday Party.

Relatives and friends went to East Fryeburg on Saturday the 7th, to attend the picnic and birthday party of Miss Lord Brown. Mrs. Brown is the youngest daughter of the late Wm. and Mary A. Lord, and is the wife of E. J. Brown, and with her family live on the old Lord homestead.

Of the nine brothers and sisters, six celebrated their 48th birthday together. They were D. P. and H. W. Lord, Sarah (Lord) Blake, Matilda (Blake) Harnden, and Mary (Lord) Berry.

The party numbered 25, and among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Lord, George Andrews and Mrs. Nathaniel Fox of Lovell.

It had been planned to have dinner on the lawn, but on account of the rain it was served indoors. A snap shot of the party was taken by Miss Lee Harnden of Boston.

Harold Perkins is recovering from the grip.

High school opened Sept. 3d with 23 scholars. The Rev. Wm. Witham is able to walk out, and went to church, Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Warren and Frank Chase of Portland are visiting at D. Perkins'.

We listened to new church organ Sunday, for the first time. All pronounced it fine.

WELCHVILLE.

A Wild and Savage Beast. W. L. Mayberry, manager of A. I. Verrell's farm on Pigeon Hill, went to the pasture after his cows just at dusk one night last week and got a fright. Something came rushing through the bushes after him.

SUNDAY, RIVER.

Flossie Weeks is stopping at C. D. Bean's during her vacation.

Annie Campbell has come on from Massachusetts to help her aunt, Mrs. C. B. Foster.

Intelligence Column.

We still have a large lot of Women's Kid Oxford Shoes Co., Opera House Block, Norway, Maine. Telephone 38-2.

HEADS FOR APPLE Barrels for sale in quantities to suit. Call on address, Harry Brown, North Waterford, Me.

THE ONE PRICE CASH STORE

Charles Bryant is visiting his sister, Mrs. Eliza Binford.

Ethel Binford and friend made her parents a short visit.

Mrs. Charles Goodwin is visiting Mrs. Charles Binford this week.

Winnie Hanscome and children are with her mother at present.

Mrs. Merritt Smith was called to Wakefield, Mass. Friday, to see her father, who passed away Saturday morning. School has commenced here again, taught by Alice Charles, a very nice teacher, much liked by pupils and parents.

WOODSTOCK.

Hamilton's Gore.

Quite a number of guests are at Dudley Cottage.

Edith of Portland was in town, recently.

Several attended the play at Bryant Pond and report a good time.

Gore school commenced Monday, under the instruction of Nellie L. Tracy of West Peru.

REPORT

Of the condition of the Norway National Bank (No. 1950) at Norway, Me., Sept. 4, 1912.

Resources.

Loans and discounts	\$29,071.56
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	5,225
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	42,000.00
United States National Savings Bonds to secure Postal Savings	7,000.00
Bonds securities, etc.	58,078.25
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents)	1,706.00
Due from approved reserve agents	8,771.52
Due from approved cash items	415.04
Notes of other National Banks	3,000.00
Fractional reserve currency, notes, coins, etc.	395.11
Legal tender notes	1,438.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (per cent of deposit)	2,125.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer	1,000.00
Total	\$147,551.47

Liabilities.

Capital stock paid in	\$50,000.00
Surplus fund	50,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	38,469.73
National Bank of Commerce and Savings	5,200.47
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	2,520.00
Dividend deposits subject to check	288,451.60
Individual deposits subject to check	2,004.50
Demand certificates of deposit	500.00
Time certificates of deposit	25.00
Certified checks	1,384.34
Postal Savings Deposits	1,384.34
Total	\$1,477,551.47

State of Maine, County of Oxford, ss. I, H. D. SMITH, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of Sept., 1912.

A. S. KIMBALL, Notary Public.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Eradicates scrofula and all other humors, cures all their effects, makes the blood rich and abundant, strengthens all the vital organs. Take it.

Get it today in usual liquid form or chocolate tablets called Sarsatabs.

They further provide that birds of non-residence tagged with the proper owner's hunting license, but instead of sending them to their destination, as custom in the past, the accompany it and identify.

One exception is noted non-resident who has in possession a pair of geese in 30 days, buy a stamping half a dollar, which is to any hospital in this State, accompanied by the same, addressed to no one but his home address, except sent in care of some person.

FRYEBURG ME.

Dr. Pyrum Perry was a C. P. Gray's.

John Gray and family are day at C. P. Gray's.

Mrs. Isabel Noyes of Norway is at the Noyes cottage.

Sybil Barker goes to Fryeburg, when she will enter school.

Myron Allen of Western visiting relatives and friends and Bridget.

Mrs. Dexter Wiley is sick to her bed and cared for by both Wiley of Lovell.

Mrs. Maria Seavey Ole for a number of years with Frye, died recently at North Conway.

The Harbor corn shop Saturday and Sunday open, but will not resume operation time this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Holt visiting in Portland and visiting last week. Mrs. C. P. G. keeping house for them.

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Fine for the Hunters.

Must Accompany All Shipments under Their Licenses.

This year all non-resident hunters will be required to accompany all shipments under their hunting licenses while the same are being transported in Maine, and the shipper must, in addition to accompanying his game or birds, identify them at a game inspection station before a game warden. This regulation, an important change from the regulations of previous years, was announced by the fish and game commissioners Sept. 5th.

They further provide that the game and birds of non-residents must be tagged with the proper coupons from the owner's hunting license, as heretofore, but instead of sending the game along to its destination, as has been the custom in the past, the owner must accompany it and identify it as indicated.

One exception is noted, however, a non-resident who has lawfully in his possession a pair of game birds can, once in 30 days, buy a special tag, costing half a dollar, which will permit him to send the pair of birds to his home or to any hospital in this State, without accompanying the same. They can be addressed to no one but the owner, at his home address, except they can be sent in care of some person, if desired.

FRYEBURG CENTER.

Dr. Pyram Perry was a recent guest at C. P. Gray's.

John Gray and family spent last Sunday at C. P. Gray's.

Mrs. Isabel Noyes of Norway is visiting at the Noyes cottage.

Sybil Barker goes to Farmington this week, when she will enter the Normal school.

Myron Allen of Westerly, R. I., is visiting relatives and friends in Fryeburg and Bridgton.

Mrs. Dexter Wiley is sick and confined to her bed and cared for by Mrs. Elizabeth Wiley of Lovell.

Mrs. Maria Seavey Clark, who lived for a number of years with Mrs. Martha Frye, died recently at her sister's in North Conway.

The Harbor corn shop started up Friday and canned one piece of corn but will not resume operations until some time this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Hobbs have been visiting in Portland and vicinity for the past week. Mrs. C. P. Gray has been keeping house for them.

Norway Municipal Court.

WM. F. JONES, JUDGE.

Ekkil Pulkner was arrested Sunday afternoon by H. D. Cole, at Snow's Falls for intoxication and disturbing the peace. He was brought before the court Monday and pleaded guilty and was fined \$3 and costs of \$12.52 which he paid.

All the Doctor's Fault.

I am strictly on a diet for the doctor made it plain. That my stomach was rebelling at the gastritis strain which my patient put upon it (I am prone to eat with zest) a lot of funny dishes which don't easily digest.

The doctor told me sharply that I must not eat so much. That I have to quit the rabbits and the cakes and pies and such. And he turned out a diet which was certain to agree.

With my broken down condition, it was merely a test and test.

Yet my stomach isn't better, and I suffered just the same.

And I think the doctor's faking, spite of all the fees and fame.

I've been truly very faithful to his dietary.

though I've varied it a little with some steak and chops and fish.

With some nicely fried potatoes, and some doughnuts fresh and hot.

And a fine old English pudding that was smoking from the pot.

Yet my chronic indigestion is as bad as it can be.

And I've lost all faith in diets such as simple as that.

In fact I think it harmful, for last night nearly died.

My pains were something terrible, I groaned and moaned and cried.

I had the fiercest nightmare that a mortal ever knew.

Yet toast and tea was all I ate, except a clam or two.

A link or so of sausage and a glass or two of wine.

A nicely roasted pigeon, and a lobster that was fine.

Now I know the other items never yet have.

And it could not be the lobster, so it must have been the tea.

Hodgdon's Mysterious Holes.

Some time ago, George Hodgdon of Byron discovered that some person had dug a hole in one of his fields, later filling the hole in.

It was about three feet square on the surface. Mr. Hodgdon was curious to know the reason for this digging, so he excavated the hole, but found nothing therein.

Some time ago another hole of the same size was dug by the side of the first, the digging being accomplished, apparently, in the night time.

Again Mr. Hodgdon dug out the hole and again was disappointed in his quest, for nothing had been placed there. Now this Byron-citizen would like to know the reason for the holes. Some of the neighbors call them "Hodgdon's mysterious holes."

Sights in the Halls.

As we climbed the stairs for the thirtieth consecutive year to tell you about our fair and show, and the new and improved work, but once in the doors where all was preparation, and courage, and a cheerful endeavor to do the best, the spirit of the fair returned and we saw wonderful and worthy sights.

Three Grange societies, the Norway Grange, West Paris Grange, and Frederick Robie Grange of Otisfield Gore. Unbeknown to each other the color scheme for decorating was in all the Grange white and green, green on a white background.

Norway Grange was finely dressed in fir and white flowers. The chairman of the supervisory committee, Mrs. Angie Crocker, had things well in hand and with her able assistants, George Richardson, Arthur Buck, Frank Towne, Emma Dunham, and a large committee on various special exhibits were or had been busy.

This Grange believes in giving the best of the Grange spaces being withstanding the cold and rainy summer had divided exactly in the center. The fruit, vegetables, farm products on one side, and these were beautiful and did not lack in comparison of good looks.

With the fancy articles of the ladies' manufactures on the other side. A bear skin by Frank Abbott and his head by Harry Greenleaf showed the prowess of these hunters who captured the bear in partnership. The case of cheese, several of which were made by Mrs. Emma Dunham, were admitted and the butter, in for its share. George W. Holmes had a squish of 1911 vintage. The roast chicken was plump and cooked to a golden brown, the boiled dish was tidily arranged on its large platter, the cream, lemon, mince and custard pies had been made, light flaky look just as pies should look, and the cakes and other goodies!

The center cake was the handiwork of Mrs. Emma Swan and was frosted in white, pink and silver. It read "Norway Grange, No. 45, 1912."

The Frederick Robie Grange was under the charge of the chairman, Mrs. Ella Millett, with Mrs. Mattie Ordway, Mrs. Lillian Fox, Mrs. Lulu Tyler, Mrs. Hattie Rowe, Isaac Fox, Albert Whitman, John Ordway, and others.

W. H. Greenleaf. They chose evergreen for a trimming. The grasses, many of from Mrs. Ella Millett's collection, added not a little. The wool rolls by Mrs. Mattie Greenleaf and goodly showing of hand knit goods, the dried apples by Mrs. John Ordway, the silk shawl brought from China by an old sea captain and presented to Mary Simonds on her wedding day in October, 1841, the grandmother of Mrs. S. M. Annis, who exhibited it, the Falsie shawl made into an negligee gown by Mrs. Jason Rowe. The canned goods, fruits, vegetables and farm products were grouped on either side and along the lower front, the fancy articles of the ladies' manufactures at one end and of dry beans arranged with the canned jellies and things broke up the rich colored monotony and made an agreeable change. The butter display was fine. The cooked food showed a range from a corn to a turn, and the streaks of fat and the meat out slices made the onlooker's mouth water for pork. Pastries and cake made up a dinner fit for a king.

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Mrs. A. J. Wheeler, South Paris, had 21 varieties of cut flowers; Mrs. L. M. Tuttle, 9 varieties.

Roland E. Andrews of Norway, 9 years old, had articles whittled with a jack-knife and a stable in the collection.

The general fair articles were under the charge of Mattie Richards of South Paris and Mrs. Philip Bradbury of Norway. They decorated most attractively with delicate lemon and white. There was never a larger entry along these lines.

Mrs. H. F. Andrews of Norway had a large number of pieces, nearly one hundred, in her hand-painted china collection. She also had an oil painting of a hen with thirteen chickens and two ducks, and twelve water colors. Prominent among which are Pocahontas, Annie Laurie, The Old Oaken Bucket.

The quilts and rugs hanging over the spaces in front of the Grange spaces belonged to the several Grange exhibits.

The general rug and quilt exhibits were hung along the walls.

Herman Woodman of South Paris had a full rigged air ship in the air. It kept aloft for three days without alighting.

E. C. Chok had an extraordinary display of twenty-six pen and crayon work.

Nellie Andrews of Norway had fourteen water colors, among which were a boy fishing, two happy little farmer boys; a Colonial Interior, costumes and furniture with the woven rag rug were true to life; Lake Pontcharreasse scenes.

Mrs. W. S. Edgerly, South Paris, had an oil painting of red roses; Mrs. John P. Cullinan, Norway, an oil painting of horses' heads; Mrs. Howard Shaw, South Paris, white caps; Mrs. H. C. Ayer, South Paris, ships at anchor, a crayon, also a dog and flowers; Mrs. S. P. Ware, South Paris, rich looking roses.

Mrs. Lucelia Morrill, Norway, a colored crayon of moonlight on the water, and a painting of flowers done in oil. J. W. Rines of North Paris, a landscape. B. C. Lowe of North Paris, a hand-carved and painted picture of fruit and flowers, and another of a scene in the Arctic region; also a hand-carved and painted skull, so realistic that shivers came at sight, a lower jaw with teeth; and a large lot of burnt and carved wood.

Mrs. Leon Kimball showed a large brown linen centerpiece in passion flowers and leaves; Mrs. E. E. Andrews, one in ramblers roses.

Fruit is Oxford County's stronghold. We are in the apple belt, and Maine apples are called the best flavored and sweetest.

The long tables were loaded with as nice looking fruit as you ever saw.

Apples, pears, plums, cranberries and grapes were shown by W. A. Hersey, Oscar N. Cox, E. O. French, E. J. Leary, Mrs. Guy Curtis, Levi Richardson, J. M. Wyman, W. C. Symonds, H. A. Knightly, Prince Snow, John P. Howe, Walter S. Buck, G. S. Westleigh, E. S. Harris, Mrs. Jessie Buck, Arthur Harlick, Walter C. Steaton, O. B. Upton, Mrs. Albert Richardson, Norway.

W. N. Judkins, J. W. S. Colby, J. E. Everett, H. N. Porter, F. A. Cooper, Carl F. Churchill, S. O. Colby, Arthur Tuttle, W. C. Thayer, S. A. Thayer, W. W. Maxim, Dr. Alfred King, Albert Shaw, Marion Simpson, B. F. Cummings, E. F. Richards, William Abbott, Wm. F. King, Irving Andrews, Bessie Thayer, Madeline Thayer, Leona Thayer, John Everett, South Paris.

R. L. Cummings, Leona Thayer, F. L. Wyman, West Paris; H. Morse, W. H. Tucker, Ralph A. Cooper, Buckfield; D. L. Brett, M. F. Holman, S. Roy Edgerly, L. H. Dine, M. Perkins, H. R. Farris, Arthur Holman, Oxford; J. H. Edwards, Otisfield; I. M. Beare, C. H. George, Hebron; S. H. Dawes, Harrison.

Mrs. J. D. Ripley, North Paris, had a handsome set of flowers.

Other stands advertised typographic pens, 5c bundle sales, Montana diamond jewelry.

There was almost an endless variety of needlework in art embroidery, tatted lace, punched work and the kinds of embroidery now in vogue, also of crocheted and knit goods. The premium list will give what the committees considered the best, though we saw not a thing unworthy.

The United States Separator from the Vermont Farm Machinery Company was under the charge of Davis & Mason of South Paris. It kept them busy telling the merits of the machine, and they are many.

H. J. Geer & Son from Providence, R. I., manufacturers of jewelry, are in their old place, where they have been found for the past six years. That they have come that length of time shows a mutual appreciation.

Wm. J. Wheeler of South Paris has the Poodle and Luster pianos

